

# THE NORTHFIELD HERALD

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## Seminary Lecture Course For Coming Season

The first number of the Entertainment Course of the Northfield Seminary is to be given in Silverthorne Hall Saturday of this week, September 26th. The subject is "The Romance of News Gathering" by Alton Hall Blackington who illustrates his very clever talk by colored slides and moving pictures. On Saturday evening, October 24th, Dr. Lawrence N. Gould will give a talk "With Byrd in the Antarctic." Plans are under way to have this in the Auditorium if possible in order to accommodate people of the town. The month of November has two entertainments, the first on Saturday, November 7th a dramatic reading of Rip Van Winkle by Professor C. H. Patterson of Amherst. Professor Patterson has given this many years for Deerfield Academy and is very popular. On Saturday of November 28th, there will be both afternoon and evening performances of the "Marionettes" by Sue Hastings. The afternoon will be for the school children of East Northfield and Northfield, and will prove a great delight. Saturday, December 5th will have Edith Piper, soprano of New York for a recital. After Christmas the following numbers will be presented:—Frances Homer, Impersonator on Saturday January 9, 1932. The Ben Greet Players appear Saturday, January 30th and mean planning on the town's help again in presenting these splendid artists. Saturday February 13th has the Perole Quartet of stringed instruments. This quartet has played in other years, and is most interesting. Mr. Joseph Coleman, is the first violinist. The Parlier Sisters on Saturday, March 5th will present a costume recital entitled "Message of an old New England Garden." The course will close in April with a glee club concert of the Deerfield Academy. We feel that as often as possible these entertainments can be held in the Auditorium, thus accommodating the townspeople. Further announcements will be made. The Entertainment Committee consists of Miss Sands, as chairman, and Mrs. Hume, Mr. Jones, Miss Benlah Scott, Miss Howard, and two representatives of the senior class, Billie Carrington of Marquand Hall and Marian Thompson of Hillside Cottage. The course is well selected and well balanced and the Committee are to be commended for their effort.

## A Fine Vacation Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Spencer have just returned from a most interesting vacation trip by motor and the account of the same is most interesting to their many friends. Some 21,000 miles were covered in a Ford car over good roads everywhere and in no case was the slightest difficulty met with. From Northfield down through New York and Philadelphia their route carried them to Washington where a visit to the Nation's Capital occupied considerable time—then on through the historic places in Virginia to the Natural Bridge—from there they drove over the mountains into and across West Virginia to the blue grass region of Kentucky—mountains as high as 4,000 feet were crossed and the scenery and views were full of splendor. Thence into Ohio, where they visited at the home of Mr. Spencer's brother, Simpson, in Cincinnati and saw the river commerce on the great Ohio with its large "stern wheeler" boats. Thence up to Cleveland through the Miami Valley to Niagara Falls when another stay afforded them the beauties of the falls and a run across the International bridge into Canada. From there they turned homeward via Rochester, Syracuse and Albany to Northfield arriving here on Tuesday being greatly benefitted by the trip and possessed with a wonderful fund of experience. It was certainly a wonderful journey and its possibilities are available to any one who owns a motor car.

## Barnes Has Bought The Havercroft Home

Mr. Roy C. Barnes who lives in the George Witta house on the Depot road and is employed at Mr. F. W. Kellogg's store has purchased the home of the late Homer Havercroft on the West Northfield road. The property was bought at the auction sale held last Thursday by the Executors of the estate.

## Display Of Apples

There will be a display of county-grown apples in the lobbies of the First National Bank & Trust Company and the Greenfield Electric Light & Power Company during the week of Oct. 19. Roger Peck of Shelburne, Thomas Haley of Orange, Lawrence Shearer of Colrain and Alfred Burdet of Charlemont of the Franklin County Fruit Growers Association constitute the Committee having the exhibit in charge. It is quite probable that The Northfield Schools will make a showing.

## Franklin County Club

The Franklin County Club will hold its fall meeting Saturday October 3d at the Waffle Shoppe at West Orange. There will be a business meeting followed by a luncheon and a good attendance is expected. This is the first meeting of the club to be held in Orange.



OFFICERS NORTHFIELD NATIONAL BANK

Reading left to right they are: Clarence P. Buffum, Director, Merwin D. Birdsall, Cashier, Paul Bitner, Assistant Cashier of First National Bank and Trust Co., Greenfield, Elliott Speer Director, Dr. Allen H. Wright Director, Charles C. Stearns Director, Frank W. Williams Vice President, Dr. Richard G. Holton Director and William F. Hoehn President. The bank was organized in January 1928 and began business March first of that year. With a capital stock of \$25,000 and a surplus of \$6,250 it began business which now approaches a quarter of a million dollars.

## Masonic Lodge Observes 125th Anniversary

The 125th anniversary of Mountain Lodge of Masons of Shelburne Falls was celebrated Friday by a meeting opened by Most Worshipful Herbert W. Dean, grandmaster of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts and other grand officers of the State in charge. District Deputy Grand Master Richard G. Holton of Northfield was in attendance.

Mountain Lodge was established in Rowe in June 1806, where it remained until December, 1818. At that time a petition was granted by the Grand Lodge for its removal to Colrain. The first meeting held in that town was on December 14 in the house next to the Congregational Church. On Sept. 23, 1819, the hall was dedicated and a banquet was held in the Tavern. During the next few years the membership increased greatly and it was evident that the change was a wise one. However, in March, 1856, a petition to move was presented the Grand Lodge, this time to Shelburne Falls.

In April, 1917, the property owned by the Universalist Church, was purchased and remodeled into the present building. The first meeting was held in the building in September of that year and in October, Most Worshipful Grand Master Leon M. Abbot, attended by full suite of Grand Lodge officers, dedicated the building to Masonic use.

## Torrey-Elkins

The marriage of Miss Frances May Torrey, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frank D. Torrey of East Northfield, and of Florida and Mr. Hervey Bertrand Elkins of Cambridge took place last Saturday morning at 11.00 o'clock at Kenjockety Cottage, the home of the bride's parents on Rustic Ridge.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Frank D. Torrey, D. D., father of the bride, and was witnessed by the near relatives of the two families.

The house was beautifully decorated with flowers and greens and its situation on the hill among the pines offered a most attractive setting for the affair.

Miss Torrey is a graduate of Adelphi Academy in Brooklyn, and of Mount Holyoke College, in the class of 1928. Mr. Elkins was graduated from Harvard University in 1928, and is a member of Phi Beta Kappa. He is now studying for his Ph. D. in chemistry at Harvard.

Mr. and Mrs. Elkins will reside at 42 Concord Avenue, Cambridge, after a motor trip about the White Mountains and various other places in northern New Hampshire.

## Whitney—Newton

Wedding bells rang on Wednesday September 16th for Miss Dorothy May Newton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Newton of Winchester Road when she became the wife of Mr. Bernard Whitney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merwin Whitney of West Northfield. The young couple were married at Greenfield by Rev. A. P. Pratt of the Congregational Church. They expect to reside at Brattleboro. The happy couple are receiving the congratulations of their friends.

## Back From The Fair

To the fair they did steer  
Happy four—all to see  
Cows and horses—pig and deer.  
And the midway—full of glee.  
And they parted with the dollar  
Like the rubes from everywhere  
Till their stomachs seemed to boller  
And said home was very near.

And so Frank Williams, Miles Morgan, Edward M. Morgan and Martin Vorce are back in Northfield again after spending a "hey day" at the Hopkinton Fair last Wednesday.

## Bible Conference At South Vernon

Those who have been enjoying the Bible Conferences the past few years that have met in different churches of different denominations in this vicinity will be much pleased with the program provided for the gathering Friday the 25th to be held with the Christian Advent church at South Vernon, daylight saving time. The morning session will be in charge of the pastor of the church, Rev. George Gray. Guests are requested to bring basket lunch and supper. The afternoon session opens with a devotional service led by Mrs. Guy Blossom. Four papers follow on the Signs of the Times. Rev. Joseph V. Harrison of Buckland speaks on Russia, Rev. George Makepeace of Turners Falls Methodist church on Rome, Mr. Leonard Smith of this place speaks on Palestine and the Jews. J. J. Parsons of Colrain takes as his topic, The World at Large. The papers will be followed by discussion and a consecration service conducted by Rev. A. L. Truesdell of Bernardston. In the evening the speaker will be Rev. E. B. Freeman of the Baptist church in Northampton.

## Pallams Given Surprise

On last Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Pallam of Birnam Road were given a real surprise in the celebration of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. Their friends had gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Moody on Highland Avenue and as Mr. and Mrs. Pallam were secretly inveigled into a social call upon Mr. and Mrs. Moody they found its real purpose. Congratulations were bestowed and many well wishes extended. After spending a social evening refreshments were served and Mr. and Mrs. Pallam were made the recipients of a pleasant remembrance.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Pallam have been for many years residents of Northfield where they have taken an active part in church, social and civic activities. Mrs. Pallam, whose maiden name was Elizabeth Murray was born in Nova Scotia but came to Northfield to attend the seminary. Mr. Pallam has been steward of the Northfield Hotel for over 25 years. They have two children, a daughter, who is a student at the seminary and a younger son.

## Birdsall Leaves October Fifteenth

Mr. Merwin D. Birdsall Cashier of The Northfield National Bank leaves his position October fifteenth to go with The Northfield Seminary. The Directors have not yet decided upon his successor in office but several candidates have been personally interviewed by them and a decision is expected within a couple of weeks.

## Sails on Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Speer and their children will sail on Saturday from New York on the S. S. Britannic for Liverpool whence they will take train for Edinburgh where Mr. Speer will begin his survey and study of the secondary schools of Europe and also qualify for his Ph. D. degree at the University of Edinburgh. Mrs. Speer and the children are at present visiting her parents at Newton, N. J., but will meet Mr. Speer in New York previous to departure. The Herald and a host of friends bid them good bye and a pleasant and safe journey.

## Directory Ready

The Directory of the names of summer homes—their location—with the names of the owners and their addresses is now ready and may be purchased at the office of The Herald. Mail orders will be promptly attended to.

## Highway Hearing

The Department of Public Works Division of Highways will give a hearing in the grand jury room of the court house, in Greenfield, on Friday, Sept. 25 at which time there will be general discussion of Franklin County roads and highways.

## P. T. A. Holds An Interesting Meeting

The Northfield Parent-Teachers association held a most interesting meeting last Monday evening in Alexander Hall with a good attendance. Miss Mary Pozzi, extension specialist in recreation of the Massachusetts State college was the principal speaker and she spoke upon the matter of equipment for school playgrounds and how games might be indulged in for the general benefit of school children.

Mr. James as chairman of the Playground Committee reported on the progress of the improvements to the Center School playground, that recently considerable filling was done and that the balance of the money in hand will be used for equipment.

A discussion was had in which many present participated. Mr. Leon Dummell rendered a very pleasing musical program.

## Nurse Dies After Attending Greenfield Patient

A sad bit of intelligence reached us on Saturday when it was learned that Miss Effie K. Phinney, 39 years old, former overseas war nurse, died at New Bedford in St. Lukes Hospital on last Friday of infantile paralysis contracted while nursing a patient at Falmouth.

Miss Phinney's patient was Miss Virginia Seller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Tennyson Seller of the Weldon Hotel of Greenfield whose sister, Alice, was recently killed in an automobile accident in which another sister was seriously injured. She is believed out of danger.

Miss Phinney was born at Center Village, N. B., where her parents and five sisters live.

## Lake Pleasant Colony Threatened By Fire

A lively blaze which started from undetermined origin in the Edwin Whitney cottage, 32 Broadway, Lake Pleasant, Monday night, for a time threatened to spread and wipe out the colony. The fire was discovered at about ten thirty o'clock, two muffled explosions having awakened the people. The sparks carried by a high wind showered roofs of adjoining buildings, but the rain that preceded the fire kept the cottages from taking fire, although the Arthur Cook cottage was considerably burned. The fire departments from Millers Falls and Turners Falls were called and did valiant work. The Whitney cottage was burned to the ground with a loss estimated at about \$1,500. Damage to the Cook cottage is estimated at several hundred dollars. Old residents recalled the disastrous fire which practically wiped out the Lake Pleasant cottages a number of years ago and did not cease apprehension until the all out signal was heard.

## Y. P. R. U. At Petersham

The Young People's Religious Union will hold a meeting at Petersham on next Sunday. Afternoon session will start at 4 o'clock and the conference will be concluded about 8.30 p.m.

The conference is being arranged by the National Y. P. R. U. The meeting will be attended by members of unions from the various parts of Western Massachusetts.

Rev. Stephen H. Fritchman, minister of the Petersham Church will give the welcome at the opening of the afternoon conference. The speakers will include Howard Searles, northern supervisor of the Worcester Federation and a member of the national board, Rev. Richard Day of Templeton, and Mary Denison, secretary of the commission on social responsibility.

At 6 o'clock there will be a box supper. Hot coffee will be served by members of the Petersham society. A devotional service will open the evening meeting following supper. One of the speakers for the evening will be Charles H. Wellman, who will tell of his experiences in the Y. P. R. U. There will also be an address by Win Southworth, field secretary.

## Republican Rally

The attention of Republicans both men and women is called to the big Republican rally at the Eastern States Exposition at Springfield, Friday afternoon. It is important that Franklin County should be well represented and especially Northfield.

## Gill

The first fall meeting of the Gill Parent-Teacher association was held Thursday evening at the town hall. An informal reception was given the teachers after the business meeting. The officers of the Gill Parent-Teacher association for the coming year are: President, Mrs. P. W. Eddy; vice-president, Mrs. D. C. Barrus; secretary, Mrs. Andrew Zak; treasurer, Mrs. J. S. Eastman. The following committees have been appointed: Program, Mrs. Barrus, Miss Hopkins, Miss Gee; finance, Mrs. Chapin, Mrs. Ware, Mrs. Wilde, Miss Martindale, Mrs. Shebell, Mrs. Howe; hospitality, Mrs. Hale, Miss Hopkins, Mrs. Sumner, Miss Erhardt, Mrs. Eastman, Miss North, Mrs. Mayberry; child welfare, Mrs. Mayberry; music, Prof. J. Lawrence; publicity, Mrs. L. C. Smith; membership, Miss Miller, Mrs. Ware, Mrs. Frank Brown.

## Locals

The Hermonite, that splendid school paper of Mount Hermon makes its appearance this week.

Quite a large number of Northfield people are attending the Springfield Eastern States Exposition this week.

The roads about the Farms section of the town are being cared for by the cleaning of ditches and cutting of brush.

A number of dogs and cats of Northfield were boarded at Dr. Pfrick's Kennels this summer while their owners were away.

The Philco Radio has appointed Mr. George N. Kidder as their representative in Northfield and he has a fine display of the radio on his floor.

Cedar trees from the P. W. Eddy farm at Gill were taken for transplanting on the grounds of the Eastern States Exposition last week.

Rustic Way, the thoroughfare connecting Mountain Park with Rustic Ridge is to be improved at the expense of the Rustic Ridge Association.

Harmony Lodge A F and A M held a well attended regular meeting at the Masonic Temple Wednesday evening. Routine business was transacted.

The Brattleboro fair is not making any bid for attendance from Northfield this year and we must admit that we know absolutely nothing of the program.

Prof. James Mullenby of Mt. Holyoke College will be the speaker next Sunday morning at Sage Chapel and Rev. Paul F. Swarthout of Brattleboro will preach at Vespers.

The group of Y. M. C. A. officials who have been in session at the Northfield Hotel last week have ended their conference and returned home. About one hundred delegates were in attendance.

Miss Beryl James, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry James celebrated her sixteenth birthday by giving a "hot dog" roast to her young friends at the camp of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bigelow on Wednesday evening.

At a meeting of the Trinitarian Congregational Church Committee held last Thursday evening no further decision was reached regarding the selection of a pastor for the church. The annual meeting of the church will be held October 14th.

The Massachusetts Press association's annual fall outing at Jefferson Highlands, N. H., Friday, September 25, to Monday or Tuesday, September 28 or 29, with headquarters at the Waumbec hotel, promises to be an enjoyable affair. The Editor of the Northfield Herald will attend the sessions.

By reducing train service, laying off a number of employees and substituting trucks and motor busses for all freight except heavy shipments, the West River Railroad company will enter upon a plan of transportation whereby it is expected the expenses will be kept within the income.

The Men's Brotherhood of the Congregational Church held their first meeting of the season in the vestry of the North church on Tuesday evening. Supper was served at 6.30 and the new president, Prof. F. L. Duley presided and gave a most interesting talk on Archaeology and its relation to present day living.

The Tuesday weekly Bible class opens this year on October 6th at the home of Mrs. Leonard Smith, the teacher. The first part of the year will be spent studying the book of very fine original outline she is giving out to the class. After Christmas Romans for which Mrs. Smith has the class take up the study of Hebrews.

Because the number of reckless motorists who persist in speeding past red lights, even disregarding gates, bells and other warning signs at grade crossings is increasing nowadays, the Boston & Maine railroad has found it necessary to order a new and longer blowing of the time-honored "two long and two short" warning whistles by locomotive engineers.

Goodnow Pearson & Hunt, Inc., of Brattleboro will again be at the Valley Fair with a display of fine fur coats for women. Furs of all kinds, priced lower than they have been for ten years, will be shown. A representative of Pierre, Beauty Specialist of New York, will be in attendance both days, and will be pleased to have you consult with her regarding the proper method for the care of your skin.

## Powers Institute Enrollment

Powers Institute opened September 21 with a total of 138 students. In the high school alone there are 73, which is the most since Powers Institute became a public school. The enrollment is as follows:—

Grade 6, Boys 13; Girls 15, Total 28; Grade 7, Boys 9, Girls 15, Total 24; Grade 8, Boys 3, Girls 10, Total 13; Grade 9, Boys 11, Girls 8, Total 19; Grade 10 Boys 12, Girls 9, Total 21; Grade 10 Boys 12, Girls 9, Total 21; Grade 11 Boys 16, 1 more to come, Girls 5, Total 21; Grade 12 Boys 8, Girls 3, Total 11; Post Graduate Boys 0, Girls 2, Total 2.

Two more students enrolled in the Junior Class Tuesday, this making a present total of 75 in the high school.

## Personals

Miss Alice Craig of Cambridge who has spent the summer here has returned home.

Miss Jessie Backus will enter the Gardner School for Girls in New York this fall.

Mr. Henry Nevin left Northfield Monday to attend the Asheville school in North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Lamourie of Colrain are visiting their daughter, Mrs. H. A. Hoxie.

Friends of Mrs. Clarence P. Buffum's will be glad to learn that she is steadily improving.

Miss Evelyn Hess of the Hotel Northfield has been in Boston the past week attending the semi-annual Gift Shop Show.

Mrs. E. Hartman and family of Brooklyn, N. Y., who have spent the summer in Mountain Park returned home last Monday.

Representative Andrew C. Warner of Sunderland who represents us in the legislature celebrated his 70th birthday last Friday.

Mrs. Charles Leach and Mrs. Osgood Leach of Northfield Farms will entertain the Ladies Society at Sunset Inn, Wednesday afternoon.

The Rev. and Mrs. Edson Reifsnider of Santa Paula, California are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barr, having motored across the country.

Miss Phylus Marsten granddaughter of Mrs. Fred S. Merrifield who graduated from the Seminary last year will enter Smith College this fall.

Edward C. Morgan with a classmate are on a weeks camping trip with auto in the Adirondacks previous to returning to school duties at Harvard.

Mrs. W. R. McDermott and family of Brooklyn, N. Y., who have been occupying Pine Needle Lodge in Pine Grove returned to their home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. May of East Providence, R. I., have returned to Northfield and re-opened their summer home in Mountain Park for a weeks stay.

Miss Louise Roe who has occupied her cottage here with friends this summer has returned to her duties at Hartford Theological Seminary in Hartford.

Miss Dorothy Blossom is assisting at the home of Miss Austin on Main street through school hours. Miss Gerish is living with Mrs. Austin and her daughter.

Dr. and Mrs. Allen H. Wright have returned from their visit with Dr. and Mrs. Vernon Lake at Belmont, Mass., and the Doctor has now resumed his practice in Northfield.

Mrs. M. E. Vorce and daughters, Mrs. Mildred Addison and Miss Helen Vorce enjoyed a week end motor trip to Randolph, Vt. They left Miss Helen at Middlebury on the return trip on Monday.

Mrs. William J. McRoberts of Mountain Park observed her fortieth wedding anniversary by giving a luncheon to a few friends. Unfortunately Mr. McRoberts was detained in New York on business.

Mr. Herbert F. Randolph Jr., has left for Ann Arbor to enter the University of Michigan to take up special study for his Ph. D. degree. Mrs. Randolph will go to Ann Arbor to be with him for the winter.

Miss Lydia Speakman is moving today into her new house near the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Gage in East Northfield on Winchester Road. She has been staying at their home during the summer while her new residence has been in the process of construction.

Miss Dorothy Watson daughter of Prof. and Mrs. R. L. Watson of Mt. Hermon is returning to her teaching in the French and German departments of the Walnut Hill school, Natick. She has been at her parents home since her return early in August from a year's leave of absence and study abroad.

Mrs. L. L. Drury of Mt. Hermon who has been spending the past week with relatives in Westminster and Brattleboro, Vt., returned Saturday and spent Sunday at the home of her nephew, C. Rolfe Carman. She will stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Norton a few days while she makes her plans for her trip west.

## Bank Conference

The second Bank Management Conference of New England has been called to meet at the Hotel Statler in Boston on Friday October 16th under the auspices of the New England Council. It is expected that the gathering will be one of the largest held in New England and truly representative in character. The Northfield Bank will be represented by one of its Directors.



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## EDITORIAL

Allen T. Treadway of Stockbridge, Republican, Tuesday advocated a reduction of \$2,000 in the annual salaries of members of Congress as evidence of their willingness to aid the country during the present depression. Mr. Treadway is the ranking member of the House ways and means committee and he said he would introduce a resolution in Congress in December to carry out this plan. Certainly the voters will say "Amen" to this intention and our Congressman should be supported and appreciated for this endeavor.

There has never been a time when it was more important to keep governmental expense down to reasonable levels than now.

Businesses and individuals are striving to make both ends meet. Authorities, public and private, are working on plans to stimulate industrial activity and thus provide employment for those who are out of work. And rising taxes are one of the principle barriers in the way of success of such plans.

Extravagance and waste on the part of officials are enemies of prosperity and result from "government in business" in competition with its private citizens and taxpayers.

Under the caption of "Being Neglected" the Editor of the Greenfield Recorder calls attention of the Connecticut Regional planning commission to the beauties of the Connecticut River and its needs all along the valley to the border—instead of ending their survey further south.—The editor refers to Northfield in the following words:

"Think of a commission studying beauties of the valley and neglecting to visit Northfield!"

Thank you Mr. Editor—we think so too.

Once in a while a big man speaking with authority voices a sound expression of appreciation of the newspaper and recently when the New York Times celebrated its 80th Anniversary Mr. Adolph Ochs its publisher received the following greeting from the President, Mr. Hoover.

"The most obvious thing in democracy is that it cannot function except when accompanied by a free and constructive press. Our government is and must be responsive to the will of the people expressed through considered public opinion. This expression is more guided and revealed through the press than any other agency, but it implies great responsibility on the press that the news shall be accurately presented without bias or color that the public may have an opportunity of formulating its views on the actual facts and that its expressed opinion shall be based upon considered and constructive editorial suggestions. Any newspaper, great or small, that accurately disseminates information aids in the promotion of good government and in the sound development of the nation. All these are truisms of self-government but vitally important."

The Herald and all newspapers can appropriate much of the sentiment contained in this message.

The terrible and destructive fires in the forest areas of many states this year should have focused the public attention on the problem.

Thousands of acres of timber have been devastated—families have been left homeless—human and animal lives have been needlessly destroyed. In at least one state it was necessary to establish martial law in the endangered sections.

Much of the loss is laid to arson—certainly one of the most despicable of all crimes. This we must deal with as best we can through processes of law, and through stricter and more adequate legislation for punishing the offender. But that part of the loss which has resulted from carelessness can only be solved, for our future safety, by the individual. The worker in the woods—the vacationist—the maker of campfires—the smoker—each has been responsible, through indifference, carelessness, or ignorance, for millions of dollars in damage.

We hear much talk of forest conservation—but the work of years may be ruined overnight by a single untended campfire, a dropped cigar butt. This year the forest fire problem has been especially serious, and it is to be earnestly hoped that out of the unnecessary destruction will come one gain—in a new sense of responsibility on the part of the public that will outlaw forest fires in the years to come.

Camp Devens at Ayer is now to be a permanent Camp of the United States Army and the arrival of four outfits from the 13th Infantry and the first battalion of the tank regiment was noted last week. Other troop movements will follow soon and by Oct. 7 there will be located in the permanent camp 775 enlisted men, 33 officers and two warrant officers.

## OBITUARY

ANDREW E. LYMAN

Andrew Elijah Lyman age 83 years died suddenly at his home on Main street on Monday afternoon. He was a lifelong resident of Northfield the son of Elijah and Louisa Lyman. He was a successful business man but retiring and conservative in his disposition and always with a keen interest in the activities of the community. He is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. George Pefferle. He lost a son Clifford E. during the influenza epidemic in 1918. Services were conducted at the house on Thursday by Rev. W. W. Coe and burial was in Center Cemetery.

FLORINE H. LYMAN

Miss Florine H. Lyman, 50 years of age and daughter of the late D. Everett Lyman and Flora T. Caldwell Lyman died at her home on Main street near the Congregational church on Monday morning September 20th after a brief illness, although in poor health for some time. She attended school in Northfield, was a student at Northfield Seminary and a graduate of the Springfield Business College. She was employed at Springfield but returned to her home after her father's death to be with her mother. She is survived by her mother and a brother Theodore of Springfield. The funeral was held at the home Wednesday afternoon, Rev. W. W. Coe officiating.

MRS. LOUISE BOOMER

At Kelavista Inn after several weeks of illness—death came to Mrs. Louise Boomer of New York on Monday evening. She had been a visitor to Northfield for many years.

She was the widow of Rev. William Bishop Boomer who served under the Presbyterian board as a missionary in Chile for more than 40 years and who died Nov. 13, 1930.

Mrs. Boomer was in her 74th year and resided at 245 East 21st street, New York city.

Her three children survive. Robert De Forest, Miss Mary Boomer and Mrs. Helen Doris Ten Eyck, all of New York City.

The funeral was held Wednesday morning at eleven o'clock at the Congregational Church conducted by Rev. Arthur Prown general secretary of the Presbyterian Foreign Mission board.

MRS. NELLIE MORGAN

Mrs. Nellie Morgan widow of Mr. Wallace Morgan died in Greenfield Thursday September 17th and was buried in the Northfield Farms cemetery on Saturday last. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan for many years lived at Northfield Farms and were well known to the residents then. After the death of her husband she moved to Greenfield to reside with her son Mr. Frank Morgan who is the sole survivor.

REV. DR. LUCIUS H. THAYER

Congregational Church circles were shocked on Monday to learn of the sudden death of Rev. Dr. Lucius H. Thayer who died at his summer home at Dublin, N. H., last Sunday. For 39 years he had been pastor of the large Congregational Church at Portsmouth, N. H., and retired about two years ago. He was President of the Boston Seamen's Friend Society and was Vice-President of the American Board. He leaves a widow, two sons and a daughter. Funeral was held on Wednesday at Dublin. Dr. Thayer had many personal friends in Northfield.

## Hurferth Wins Horseshoe Pitching

Bernard Hurferth of Northampton won the horseshoe pitching tournament on the fair grounds at Greenfield Wednesday, against a large list of entries. The Northampton lad won all of the nine games and finished away ahead of Mike Latourelle of West Springfield, who topped second place. The summary:

M. Hurferth, Northampton	9 0 1.000
M. Latourelle, W. Sp'field	7 2 .778
R. White, Athol	6 3 .667
H. Schouler, Greenfield	5 4 .556
L. Glazier, Leverett	5 4 .556
A. Gruellier, Greenfield	5 4 .556
R. Grant, Greenfield	3 6 .333
George DuBois, W. Sp'field	3 6 .333
A. Wingard, Athol	2 7 .222
W. L. Mann, Athol	1 8 .111

## Prohibition Fines Heavy

Fines assessed against violators of the prohibition law during the fiscal year ending June 30 aggregated \$5,511,876.40, according to a statement issued by the Prohibition Bureau of the Treasury Department. Prison sentences were decreed against 29,469 violators of the Volstead Act.

The Bureau's report shows that 62,995 arrests had been made during the year and that 55,192 cases were placed on criminal dockets of the courts during the same time. A total of 3,350 jury trials brought convictions, while the number of pleas of guilty that were entered by defendants numbered 47,130.

Jail sentences during the year averaged 224.5 days, while fines imposed averaged \$154.60.

The Greenfield Chamber of Commerce has had an election and Nathan Tufts President and George W. Pillsbury and D. Rollin Alvord are named vice-presidents at the organization meeting. The new board includes several younger men who have been active in community life. Besides the officers chosen last night, they are: Herbert V. Erickson, L. B. Fortin, Earle D. Holtby and Frank H. Reed Jr. There was a time when the Greenfield Chamber sustained a cordial relationship to Northfield business men but of late years the relationship has been rather cool and distant.

## The Poet's Corner

THE LOCAL PAPER IS THE BEST

Of all the sheets from East to West  
The local paper is the best.  
Deep is our love and deep our debt,  
To Record, Herald and the rest.  
When first I landed on this ball,  
A bit of flesh wrapped round a squall,  
It welcomed me with joy and pride,  
My life has never justified.  
It follows me my whole life through,  
With words all kind and mostly true.  
And even after I am hearse  
I'll tell my best and hide my worst.  
The above lines were sent in by a contributor from East Northfield.

## THE WORKER REFLECTS

How can we stop to be a friend  
When there's a world to do,  
And details mount up, end to end,  
Until we're never through?

Work is a blessing to mankind  
Providing for the need  
Of mind and body. But we find  
That still we're poor indeed.

At heart, for being tied to earth  
By bonds of toil and care,  
We scarcely can unbend for mirth,  
And play we seldom dare.

Beauty in nature all around  
Might as well never be:  
We Myrmidons upon the ground  
Rarely look up to see!

Let us repent before too late  
Of drudgery and haste.  
Friendship and life were meant our fate,  
And these we ought to taste.  
C. H. H.

## The People's Forum

Dear Mr. Editor,

I read an article in last week's Forum which dwelt on the Northfield Summer Conferences. It is interesting to note how some people will try to explain something of which they know so little about. I am not familiar with its beginning, but I have always understood that it is a part of and closely associated with the Trinitarian Congregational Church.

I understand these conferences had their beginning in the old church which stood where Spencer's garage now stands. From there they moved to Stone Hall, then back again to the present Church; then finally to the present auditorium. But all the time it has been in connection with the North Church. That being the case I see no reason why it should not be spoken of as such from the platform of the Auditorium.

I see nothing in the article except an undertone of jealousy. It also occurs to me that there is no single person big enough to dictate to any community, this is especially true regarding religious matters. Every Church has chosen its various committees to look after the different phases of the work in connection with it. So, if a committee chooses certain hymns which are in keeping with the religious views of such a body of people, that is their business. If on the other hand another committee chooses to turn the collection into the treasury of the Trinitarian Congregational Church, that is no other person's business. If we, who have certain duties to perform would attend more faithfully to those duties, we should not have quite so much to say about things which do not ordinarily come under our supervision.

Philip Porter

## About Our Birch

The following article appeared in the Boston Herald of Friday last which is of interest to us in Northfield.

Another Birch, This One Indorsed by the N. G. S. To the Editor of The Herald:

I was interested in reading the account written by Alfred Davenport in your columns by Alfred Davenport in your columns concerning the huge white birch at Canaan, New Hampshire.

I am pleased to call his attention to a still larger white birch in our own state of Massachusetts. It is located near East Northfield and is reputed to be the largest tree of its kind in the world, according to a sign attached to it by the National Geographic Society. The circumference at a height of 6 feet is a little over 18 feet. This gigantic tree, like the one in New Hampshire has several large branches departing from the trunk, any one of which is larger than the trunks of most of the white birches ordinarily seen.

There was much publicity attached to this tree this summer when, in some unknown manner, it caught fire. Some boys hiking in the vicinity discovered the conflagration and extinguished it in the nick of time, so that today the old tree is still very much alive, and if Mr. Davenport will write me personally, I will send him a snapshot of the tree.

ELIOT P. EMERSON

Sharon, Mass., Sept. 17.

## More Appointments In Welfare Work

The State Department of Public Welfare will add about thirty more investigators to the staff of visitors in connection with the operation of the old-age assistance act. Several persons who were offered the positions at salaries paying \$1560 and \$2,160 a year have refused the positions offered because of low compensation.

However there are 30 to be employed as visitors and as the list of available candidates runs into the hundreds there are plenty of available. It is expected the list of appointments will be made public this week. It is rumored that one of the applicants is from Northfield.

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## Winchester

Miss Francis Gale returned for her senior year at Middlebury College Sunday.

Charles J. Drugg spent a day this week with his daughter Vera in Jefferson, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Parke Weeks are attending the Town Clerk's meeting at Woodstock.

Miss Mary Broderick of North Adams is visiting her sister, Mrs. Della Powers.

Miss Madeline Hayes returned to her teaching position in Greenwich, Conn., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Starke of Durham were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Costello.

Miss Helen Dugond of Connecticut spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Pentland recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wellman of Taunton, Mass., were Sunday callers on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis.

Miss Irene Tarbell and Miss Margaret Prentice have returned to their teaching positions in New York.

Miss Maxine Smith of Keene Normal was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Little and son returned Friday from a visit with Mr. Little's parents in Warren, N. H.

Miss Bertha Mason has returned to her home in Everett, Mass., after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. Chester L. Goldsmith.

Marriage announcements have been received of the wedding of Miss Jane Wilson to Rodney Foster at Nashua recently.

Mrs. T. W. Dustin, Mrs. Edward Hollingsworth and the Misses Lillian Hutchinson and Vera Bullis attended the Grand Chapter of O. E. S., at Tilton, N. H., last week.

Master Wesson Taylor was lucky at the Greenfield Fair winning the first and one third prize with four of his New Zealand Rabbits.

Thomas P. Henry, president of the American Automobile Association, and Ernest Smith, general manager and executive vice-president, sailed from New York on September 16th for an extensive motor tour in Europe. Before leaving Detroit, Mr. Henry took delivery on a new seven-passenger Cadillac V-16 sedan in which he and Mr. Smith will make the European tour. They are expected to travel through ten countries, after landing at Stockholm, Sweden. In addition to the car in which he will travel under the auspices of the A. A. A., Mr. Henry owns two other Cadillac V-16's which he uses for personal business and pleasure.





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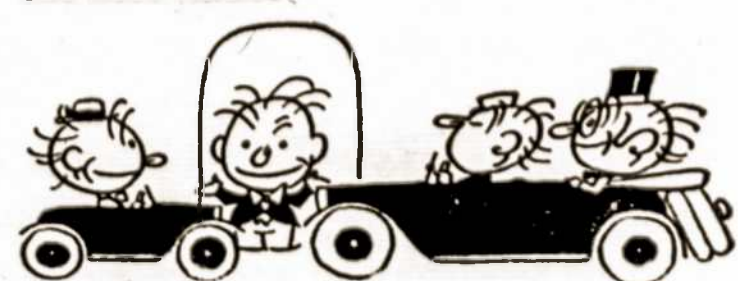


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## South Vernon

A card party will be held at the Pond Schoolhouse Friday at 8 p.m., Standard Time.

R. W. Russell of Northfield, Mass., spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Rose Akeley.

Mrs. Bessie George nurse of Northfield, Mass., is caring for Mrs. Allen Dearborn and baby.

Mrs. Charles Streeter attended the Eastern States Exposition at Springfield, Mass., Monday.

Mrs. Buttynski has returned from the hospital, improved in health so as to be able to ride out.

Mrs. Brown who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Allen Dearborn, has returned to her home in Connecticut.

It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Wing's children in West Northfield have the mumps, so they cannot attend school.

Miss Jessie Palmer of Bristol, Vt., and Miss Grace Blodgett of Bernardston, Mass., are the teachers at Dickinson Hall.

Mrs. Dan Mack of Northampton, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Allen Dearborn at her home in West Northfield, Mass.

Mrs. Ralph Holton and children have returned from a visit with her father, Mr. Joseph Weston in Belleville, New Jersey.

The churches in the town of Vernon and surrounding towns will hold an all day and evening session, Inter-

denominational Bible Conference at the South Vernon Church this week Friday, September 25 commencing at 10 a.m., Standard Time. It is expected several speakers will be present. Bring basket lunch. Tea and

The choir rehearsal will meet at 7.30 p.m., at the parsonage on Wednesday evening this week instead of Friday evening.

A son, Dan Skibnowski, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Skibnowski on Saturday September 5 at their home in South Vernon.

Miss Eunice Woodbury of Northfield Mountain lives at Mrs. Ruth Darby's in West Northfield and attends the Northfield High School.

coffee will be served by the ladies of the South Vernon Church. Everyone cordially invited to be present. The evening service is at 7 p.m.

Miss Barton of Leyden, boards with Mrs. Ruth Holton and Miss Betty Havercroft with Mrs. Eva Smart in West Northfield, and both attend Northfield High School.

Mrs. Ruth Holton teacher in the Vernon Center school has been quite ill at her home in West Northfield. Miss Ethelyn Sheldon of Northfield, Mass., substituted for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Brondski, who have been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred E. Holton in West Northfield for the past 8 months returned Tuesday to their home in New York City.

On account of Daylight Standard Time being changed back to Standard Time next Sunday the church school has returned to the former time: 12-15 p.m. Church School; 10.45 a.m., Sermon by the pastor Rev. George A.

Gray; 7 p.m., Praise service followed by a sermon; 7.30 p.m. Midweek service at the Vernon Home Thursday.

Warren G. Brown returned home from Mount Hermon last Friday afternoon to spend the week end with his mother Mrs. M. H. Brown. On Sunday he went to Middlebury, Vt., to enter Middlebury College, as a student on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jewell of Readsboro, Vt., were recent week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lackey and family and on a recent Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lackey and daughter, Miss Beatrice and Mr. and Mrs. Jewell were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren B. Dunklee and family.

The Union Church and the South Vernon Church will hold a united Benefit Concert for the State children at the town hall, Vernon Center on Friday October 2 at 7.30 p.m. Adults 25c and children 15c admission. These prices include everything from the concert to the refreshments.

## Warwick

Mrs. Bernice Bigwood and children are living at L. L. Felton's for a time.

Fifteen Warwick young people are attending Orange High school this fall and one the Winchester, N. H., high.

Dr. Henry L. Dexter and his wife, Dr. Harriet Dexter of Bayonne, N. J. visited Dr. and Mrs. P. W. Goldsberry.

Kenneth Matthews exhibited eight pens of chickens, one bird in each pen at the Barre fair and brought home seven blue ribbons.

Miss Rowena E. Purden of South Lancaster, a teacher in the Grammar school 29 years ago, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bass.

There was a good attendance at the dancing party at the Inn, last Saturday evening. It is expected these parties will be continued during the fall, if the patronage continues good.

Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Barney of Lynn are guests at "The Maples" for a few weeks. They are being heartily welcomed by their Warwick friends who are pleased to see Mrs. Barney so much improved in health.

"Papa, ain't you afraid of bugs and snakes?"  
"No, dear."  
"Papa, ain't you afraid of caterpillars or spiders?"  
"No, dear."  
"Papa, ain't you afraid of lightning and thunder?"  
"No, dear."  
"Papa, ain't you 'fraid of nothing in the world but just Mama?"

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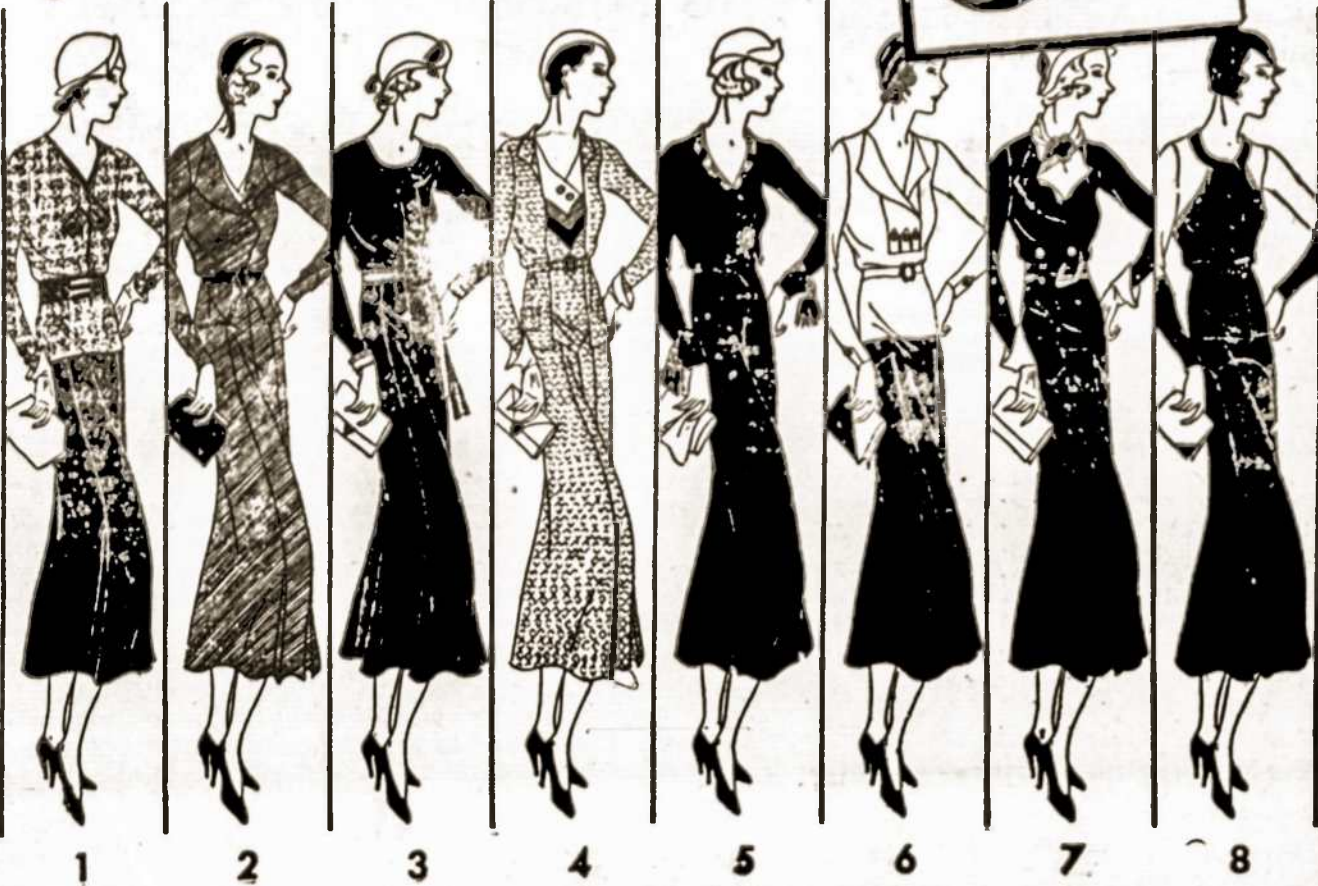
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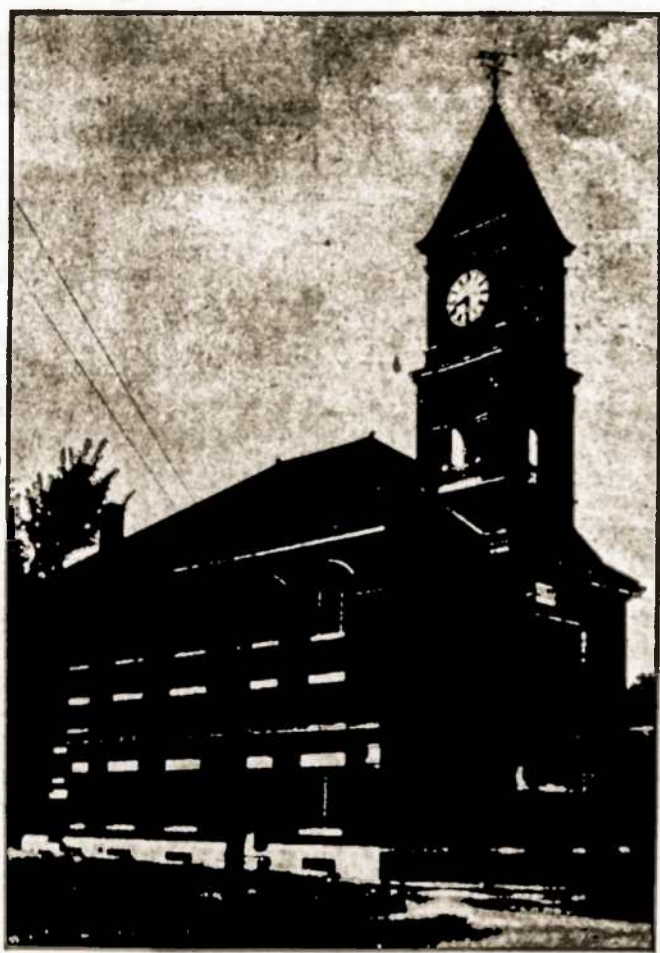
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## Hinsdale

Edwin Robertson has entered Boston university.

John McAuliffe has finished work at Meany's meat market.

John H. Meany will resume his studies at Holy Cross college in Worcester, Mass., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gerovitz and children were with relatives in Chelsea, Mass., over Sunday.

Miss Eleanor Roberts, a graduate of the local high school last June, is now taking a post-graduate course.

Miss Elizabeth Stearns has gone to Franklin, Mass., where she will be a student at Dean academy.

Miss Bertha Thomas has returned to Portland, Me., after having visited Mrs. Dora Smith for a few days.

Mrs. Johnson A. Haines gave a report of her recent western trip. Following a social hour, the hostess served refreshments.

The following real estate transfer in Hinsdale was recorded at the office of the registry of deeds in Keene during the past week: Charles H. Bailey to Agnes E. Hayes, land and buildings; Agnes E. Hayes to Charles

H., and Clara M. Bailey, land and buildings.

Mrs. J. Francis Gorey and son of South Deerfield, Mass., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Mannis.

Mrs. Roy D. Taylor, Mrs. H. W. Taylor, and Mrs. Albert Krumenaker attended the O. E. S. convention in Tilton the last of the week.

The Ladies Benevolence society of the First Congregational church served a supper in the vestry of the church on Wednesday evening.

Ora B. Smith, Bernard Pelech and Ernest Gould will leave this week for the University of New Hampshire at Durham where they will be students.

Mrs. Theodore Mayhew and three sons, who had been in town with relatives during the summer, have returned to their home in Roxbury, Mass.

The Missionary Society of the First Congregational church was entertained Friday afternoon at the Brattleboro street home of Mrs. Ralph Wood.

The official visitation date for Golden Rule lodge of Masons has been arranged for the lodges of the Third Masonic district on Oct. 22 by William B. Burnell of Keene, district deputy grand master and Henry H.

Dole of Alstead, district grand lecturer.

E. Monroe Dodge has been drawn as grand juror and Samuel Colson and Leroy Carpenter as petit jurors to serve on the fall term of superior court at Keene.

It is reported that the new Hinsdale Inn which opened for business last May has temporarily closed its doors. The hotel is owned by Mr. Powers on the Hinsdale Road.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Booth left for Detroit, Michigan where they will attend the national convention of the American Legion and auxiliary as delegates from the local post.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bergstrom of Hampton, Va., arrived Friday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. King, where they will remain for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Porter of Walpole, Mass., formerly of this town accompanied Mr. and Mrs. William H. Booth to Detroit, Mich., Friday where all will attend the national convention of the American Legion and auxiliary.

Francis Mulroney of Northfield, who has been working for Rollin Shearer at summer and living in Mr. Shearer's cottage, has moved with his family to Hinsdale, N. H., where he has obtained a position as fireman in the Hinsdale paper mill.

A very pretty church wedding took place Monday morning in St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church when Miss Esther Mae Boyle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Boyle, was married to Chester M. Waterman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Waterman.

The bride was attired in brown chiffon velvet with accessories and carried tea roses. The maid of honor, Miss Beatrice Boyle, sister of the bride, wore blue crepe with accessories and carried tea roses.

The bride attended the Hatfield, Mass., grammar school, also the Northampton Commercial college.

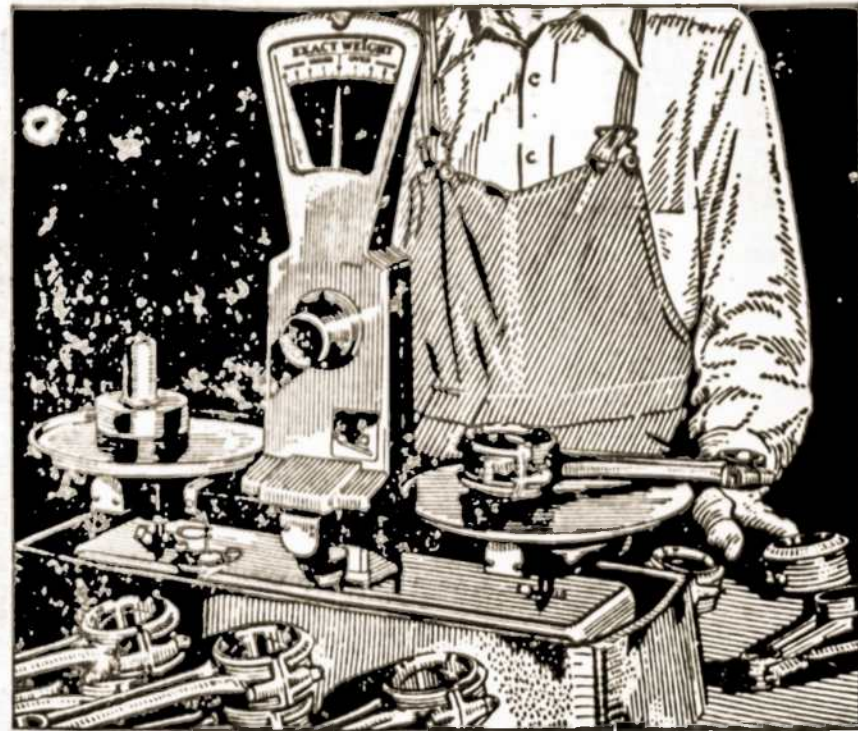
The groom is at present employed by the White-Washburn Paper company. Both young people have been residents of this town practically all of their lives.

Mr. and Mrs. Waterman left on a one week's wedding tour and upon their return they will begin house-keeping in their newly furnished tenement on Glen Street.

The play "Sweetheart Town" given in the town hall under the auspices of the local American Legion Auxiliary was a big success last Thursday and Friday.

Much credit was given all those who made the affair so successful.

Following is the cast of characters: Ezra Parks, Richard L. Howe; Bedelia Parks, Elsie A. Fuller; Mary Parks, Elsie Bevis; Joe Brooks, Raymond C. Hildreth; Squire Biglow, Paul V. Chamberlain; Tillie Biglow, Elizabeth S. Kimball; Peggy Biglow,



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One very attractive feature of the program was "The Wedding of Jack and Jill," featuring the kiddies from the first four grades. This preceded the musical numbers.

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Daughter: Tomorrow is my boyfriend's birthday. What shall I get him for a present? He doesn't smoke, he doesn't drink, he doesn't play cards, he doesn't—

Father: Aw, get him a kimono.

Colored Doctor: Well, Ah knocked de fevah outter yo' husband.

Mandy: Den he's gwine to get well? Doctor: Not a chance; but yo' has de satisfaction o' knowin' he died cured.

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## New England Road Reports

The following information relative to important construction projects on the main traveled highways of New England is furnished to The Herald by the Socony Touring Service.

### CONNECTICUT

Route 3 — Bolton Notch east through Andover under construction; through traffic Hartford to Willimantic advised to follow U. S. 6 through Coventry.

U. S. 6 — Danbury west to New York State line, concrete construction; work on eastern half of project nearing completion; traffic maintained over work at western end under generally fair conditions.

Route 8—Torrington to Winsted, work nearing completion.

Route 12—Jewett City to Greenville closed with traffic routed over first class parallel road through Newent.

Route 101—Putnam west to Rhode Island line, six miles grading and paving; travelling conditions are poor, making it advisable for through traffic to use other state highways.

### MAINE

U. S. 2 — Gravel construction for four miles at Farmington and on short section at Canaan; traffic maintained.

### MASSACHUSETTS

Boston-Worcester Turnpike—New Boulevard open from Worcester end east to junction with Route 65 in Southborough, a distance of approximately twelve miles; five miles section from Route 85 to Framingham Center closed with completion scheduled for November 30th.

Route 3—Kingston north, construction for eight miles; through traffic has good optional routes posted over parallel roads.

U. S. 6—North Swansea east toward Fall River, widening for six miles; traffic maintained under good conditions; best route for through traffic from Providence to Cape Cod is via Taunton and Middleboro.

Route 12—Construction extending from junction with Route 2 west of Fitchburg for two miles north toward Ashburnham; detour posted.

U. S. 20 — Junction with Mass. 8 (West Becket) east toward Chester, construction in varying stages; through traffic from Albany or 1,0, to Springfield, Worcester or Boston will have better travelling conditions by using Mohawk Trail (Mass. 2) or Berkshire Trail (Mass. 109) through the Berkshires.

Route 28—Reading north toward Andover, six miles widening and resurfacing; road open but through traffic is advised to use other state routes whenever possible.

Route 140—Milford, south, work nearing completion; conditions good.

### VERMONT

U. S. 2—Surfacing at South Hero, Orange and west of Wells River nearing completion. Eight miles grading between Lunenburg and Concord; traffic maintained with conditions fair to poor; through traffic Lancaster to St. Johnsbury may avoid this easily by following slightly longer route through Littleton.

U. S. 5—Newport to Coventry, five miles grading; traffic maintained under fair to good conditions. Barton to Orleans, five miles concreting; traffic maintained with conditions poor to fair; through traffic may avoid this by using Route 5A via Willoughby Lake.

U. S. 7—Rutland to Pittsford Mills, concrete construction with good local detours posted; north of Pittsford Mills new concrete is open to two way traffic.

Route 9—Brattleboro west for five miles, grading; traffic maintained. Three miles grading at Woodford; traffic maintained.

Route 14 — Williamstown south, eight miles grading. Through traffic north and south may avoid this by using Route 12 or Route 110.

Route 18—St. Johnsbury to Danville, work nearing completion. Marshfield to Plainfield, eight miles macadam surface being applied; through traffic St. Johnsbury to Montpelier should go via Hardwick or over slightly longer route via Wells River.

Route 103—Chester north for five miles, grading; traffic maintained under fair conditions.

Route 105—Newport west to Canadian Line, surface construction; traffic maintained under generally fair conditions. Sheldon Springs to Enosburg Falls, grading and gravel surfacing; conditions fair.

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Route 101—Peterboro west, three miles paving; detour available to south of main road.

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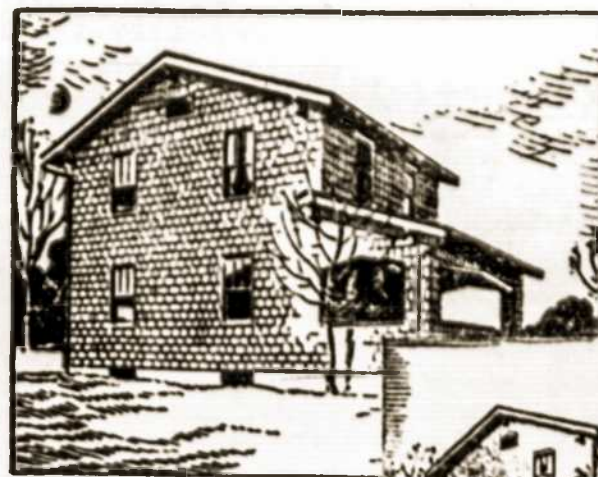
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## Mt. Hermon Items

At the regular services held in Camp Hall, Mount Hermon's auditorium, during the week days, many prominent men occasionally come to speak to the student body. On September 18, Mr. John W. Pontius, general Secretary of the Columbus, Ohio Y. M. C. A., gave a very interesting talk.

Stating how much Mount Hermon had done for his brother, a student here about twenty years ago, Mr. Pontius told of the marvelous kinship among red-headed fellows, who, when entering any hall, seem to inevitably gaze at the speaker with awe.

Mr. Pontius is an educator in the school sponsored by the Y. M. C. A. of Columbus which has a total number of 1150 students in both the day and night schools. "Being an educator myself," Mr. Pontius stated, "I am not afraid to talk to a bunch of Hermon men with whose songs I have been familiar since my brother first came to school here and whose alumni is known throughout the world as eminent men."

Setting the students on fire by his melodious voice, by the very truth of his words, and by his own personality, Mr. Pontius asked them five questions, and left the answers to themselves to answer. The questions he asked were:

1. Are you learning to think for yourself?
2. Are you discovering what is worth thinking about?
3. Are you seeing clearly that the only reliable foundation to build up the success of life is character?
4. Are you discovering your responsibilities to society?
5. Are you discovering that in the heart of this small, yet large, world there is a supreme intelligence which we humans term as God?

On Sunday the choir under the leadership of Mr. I. J. Lawrence, began the morning service held in the Memorial Chapel at Mount Hermon at 10.30 o'clock. The song that they sang so well was entitled, "Oh Lord Most Holy" written by J. L. Frank and arranged by C. B. Hawley.

The speaker for both the morning and vesper services was Mr. Henry H. Wells of Englewood, New Jersey, brother of Mr. Elliott Sprague, who has been an educator in China.

Mr. Wells chose Matthew 5:16 which states, "Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father which is in heaven," as his topic statement. "Every student in this school and practically all the people in the world understand the first part," Mr. Wells asserted, "for every fellow wants to shine, perhaps in athletics, in music, or in industry. The catch comes in the second part. Even gangsters may be kind fathers, loyal pals, and loving husbands, and still they are not doing their work for the betterment of the Kingdom!"

Explaining a trip to a remote mountain in China with two Chinese and another white man, Mr. Wells told of the Monastery of Consolation where 110 men are simply wasting their lives, believing that in taking the vows of a monk, vows which forbid them to talk, they will further the Kingdom and show that they are fulfilling the verse of Matthew mentioned above. The only way to fulfill this verse, according to Mr. Wells is to take the lives of one's friends which shine to the glory of God, to analyze them, and to try to realize what their self fulfillment means in the service of God.

To illustrate his points, Mr. Wells gave two specific instances in the Morning service and three in the Vesper service. The two he used in the morning were about Sam Deen, a very good engineer who went to China and taught the Chinese scholars to work with their hands, and when he needed help gave it to him, and who is now known as the first man to introduce a modern thing into the old guilds of China and have it accepted, and about Jimmy Yenn, a graduate of Yale, who received a Ph. D. degree from Princeton, and who later on received an honorary degree from Yale. This man while engaged in France as a secretary for the Y. M. C. A., caught a vision of education for China. He and five men went to China, and after ten years his company has increased to 130 strong. He is doing a great work among the illiterate, and he is furthering the Kingdom, for he is a Christian who is working under Christian principles.

At the vesper service Mr. Wells continued where he had left off in the morning, but unlike the morning he only gave the first name of the men about whom he spoke. Bill is a lover of birds who is advancing the Kingdom by writing about the birds of China, and who is attempting to translate some of the fine Chinese poetry into the English; Jean is teaching in a medical school after having spent some years in China helping and taking charge of one of the hospitals there; and Herb, who is a rich man, is ever willing to aid financially any project that is good and worthwhile, and who is the main supporter of a school in Palestine containing about 500 students.

Mr. Carlton L'Hommiedieu, the school organist gave a solo entitled, "Vision" which was written by Rheinberger.

Dudley C. Barrus led the weekly prayer meeting Thursday evening.

On Thursday last, the school enjoyed hearing one of the speakers from the Y. M. C. A., convention held at East Northfield. Mr. Pontius of Columbus, Ohio, whose brother had attended Mount Hermon in 1912.

The Mount Hermon quartet consisting of Mr. Lawrence, Mrs. L. E. Smith, Mrs. G. W. Deming and Chandler Holton assisted in the program at the church supper in Warwick last Friday night. They were accompanied also by Mr. Leonard Ellinwood as pianist and Adams E. West who plays the xylophone.

Among the week-end visitors to the campus were Mrs. Annie Russell Marble of Worcester, who visited her son, Paul, one of the new members of the

faculty; Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence C. Sibley, who stopped at the school for dinner on Sunday, while on their wedding trip. Mr. Sibley, who graduated in 1921 and is pastor of the community church in Gosville, N. H. Ralph L. Taylor, '26, of Clifton, N. J., is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Stark.

## High School Notes

Northfield High School opened Monday with a record-breaking attendance of 102 divided as follows: Seniors 20, Juniors 15, Sophomores 31, and Freshmen 35, unclassified 1.

Residents of other towns who are attending this school include Laura Martineau '33, Victor C. Vaughan '33, Lute Corey '35, and Gertrude Street '35 of Vernon, Dorothy Barton '34, and Ruth Barton '35, of Leyden, Christine Brewer '34 of West Royalston and Hamilton Murray of Yonkers.

Amelia Urgielewicz, who did not attend school last year, has joined the Senior class and Agnes Plotczyk who attended St. Joseph's High School in Pittsfield has entered the Sophomore class.

The Senior class organized Monday and elected the following officers: President, Mary Breinig; Vice-President, Glenn Billings; Secretary, Edna Bistrek; Treasurer, Kenneth Leach.

Unfortunately Mary Breinig is unable to attend school at present but it is hoped that she can return soon.

## Tuesday's Heat

The unusual heat of last Tuesday was a record maker and many persons suffered and sweated all day long with only slight relief in the evening. The cool weather which promised to arrive during last week's ending was promptly sidetracked and by Tuesday noon the unusual weather showed a temperature reading of 92 degrees an official rating for the day reported by the U. S. Meteorologist.

Accompanying the scorching weather was 81 per cent humidity. The warm weather has continued despite Tuesday night's hard shower and lightning storm. The sunset of Wednesday evening was glorious and perhaps the token of the coming of more reasonable weather. Tuesday's heat was the farewell blast of summer as Wednesday ushered in the fall.

## Telephone In New Building

The beautiful new building of the New England Telephone Co., of Greenfield was opened for business this week.

Manager Ralph H. Hoyt and his clerical force was transferred from the present office to the new quarters at the corner of Church street and Newell court. These quarters are on the first floor of the building and all commercial business of the exchange will be transacted there hereafter. The rest of the building will not be opened for some months to come as all work has not been completed.

It is rumored that the "dial system" will be fully installed in the spring. A number of Northfield people have visited the new building.

## Probate Court

Probate Court at Greenfield, September 15, 1931.

Administration granted on estates of—Frank Luciw late of Northfield to Anna Luciw of Northfield.

All Probate papers should be sent to the Register before Court day.

## Real Estate Transfers

Bernardston—Streeter, Ethel C.—Ethel F. Forbes, on road to Brattleboro, Vt.

Northfield—Gage, Spurgeon et al.—Earl W. Darrow et al., on Louisiana road; Stone, Herbert S.—John Wisdom, on Glenn road. Joyce, J. Henry—Isabel M. Stebbins, Maple street. Cornell, E. B.—Emily Purpington, in Mountain Park.

Warwick—Cheney, Henry W. et al.—Laura D. Chapin et alii., Trs., east part town. Mathews, Gladys E.—Charles E. Larrabee, south east part of town.

## Northfield Farms

Mrs. W. Allen Luey and family have returned to their home in Port Washington, L. I.

Mrs. Lottie Hastings of Bernardston spent a few days with Mrs. Eva Stacy last week.

Romeo Grenier who has been visiting Ray Kervin returned to his home in Holyoke on Sunday.

Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Upham and daughter of Wakefield spent the week end with Mrs. Eva Stacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mann and daughter Marian have been spending a week at the Luey Cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brunelle returned to their home on Saturday after a two weeks stay at John Kervin's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Glazier and family took a motor trip to Middlebury, Vt., on Sunday. Melvin and Lyle Glazier are entering their Junior year at Middlebury College.

The auction sale at Frank Howe's last Saturday afternoon was well attended, people coming from Bernardston, Gill, Montague and Leverett as well as from nearby.

Sambo: Nigga, Ah's gonna mash yo' nose all ovah yo' face; Ah's gonna push dem teeth down yo' throat; an' black boy yo' eyes—et cetera. Rastus: Black man, yo' don't mean et cetera, yo' means baha behan.

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## Large Class Entering At County Hospital For Nurses Training

A class of fourteen young ladies have applied for nurses training at the Franklin County Hospital and ten of this number are from Franklin County. The following registered:

The Misses Minnie Block, Greenfield; Dorothy R. Browne, Bellows Falls, Vt.; Mildred A. Call, Shattuckville; Dorothy E. Jilson, Turners Falls; Irma Longinotte, Plymouth; Gertrude A. Marsh, Rutland, Vt.; Helen M. Metzler, Greenfield; Florence E. Rodgers, Shelburne Falls; Helen R. Soper, Littleton, N. H.; Helen M. Stark, Turners Falls; Margaret A. Sullivan, Turners Falls; Catherine T. Tatham, Turners Falls; Helen C. Weissman, Shelburne Falls; Bernice Wood, Whately.

None appear from Northfield.

## Big Decline In Tobacco Crop

A substantial decline in the size of the Connecticut valley tobacco crop for 1931 was forecast by the New England crop reporting service.

The crop is expected to total 37,835,000 pounds, compared with 43,800,000 last year and the five-year average of 41,288,000.

Because of heavy rainfall early in the growing season there is evidence the crop will dry out to rather light weights, it was stated.

The Connecticut valley broadleaf crop is forecast as totaling 17,550,000 pounds, Havana seed as 14,975,000 pounds and shadegrown as 5,310,000 pounds. August weather was favorable for the crop.

## Another Death Record

Twenty-four persons were killed by automobiles in Massachusetts during the week ending the 18th, "another deplorable record," says Registrar Morgan T. Ryan. Whereas no children were killed the week before, seven were killed last week, one less than the maximum number of record for such a length of time.

The 24 fatalities were eight more than in the week before and the same number more than in the same period of last year. Seventeen killed were adults; 10 were pedestrians and 14 occupants of automobiles. Western Massachusetts had three communities on the list, Colrain, Montague and Northampton, each with one death. Municipal Boston had six.

"A young wife waited up for her husband till 4 o'clock in the morning, and then when he stumbled in she said:

"Where on earth have you been, George?"

"Been—hic—sittin' up with a sick friend," George answered.

"O' the young wife laughed, 'O, how delicious that excuse is! It's just like father used to make!'"—Springfield Union.

## Building Operations Continue Decrease

Western Massachusetts contributed materially to a reduced building total for the state during the month of August, according to statistics just compiled. Springfield fell from \$249,550 in August, 1930 to \$192,115. Holyoke dropped from 48,400 to 34,800. Chicopee's figures were slashed from \$34,835 to \$13,900. Northampton dropped from \$104,200 to \$25,150. North Adams came down to \$10,205 from last year's \$16,040. Pittsfield went in the other direction showing an August total this year of \$107,350 against \$85,660 in 1930.

A table of selected cities, showing a total state drop of a little less than \$500,000, follows:—

Boston	2,162,317	1,754,309
Brookline	89,284	131,681
Brookline	110,945	326,140
Cambridge	81,895	1,351,368
Chelsea	16,664	10,190
Chicopee	13,900	34,835
Everett	33,250	165,800
Fall River	245,190	22,090
Fitchburg	1,105	22,300
Framingham	32,070	448,010
Gloucester	68,875	38,950
Haverhill	50,925	15,445
Holyoke	34,800	48,400
Lawrence	121,576	40,160
Lowell	129,865	417,365
Lynn	89,455	120,890
Malden	15,63	51,050
Medford	163,420	98,815
New Bedford	245,190	32,090
New Bedford	20,370	27,350
Newton	987,496	274,935
North Adams	40,205	16,040
Northampton	25,150	104,200
Pittsfield	107,350	85,660
Quincy	114,968	185,557

No figures are available for Northfield but builders seem to be quite busy with small residences although no large construction is going on.

## Hospital Graduates Eight New Nurses

The Franklin County Hospital graduated eight new nurses at a public graduation exercise held Tuesday evening at St. James Parish House in Greenfield. Rev. Wolcott C. Treat rector of the Church of Atone ment of Westfield gave the address and greetings were extended to the class by Mr. F. Raymond Andrews who presided.

The diplomas were presented by Dr. John A. Mather, president of the staff of the hospital. Music during the evening was provided by the Chelmsford quartet.

Members of the graduating class are Carolyn Fregeau of Greenfield, Ella Trow of Buckland, Vena Sullivan of Bernardston, Hazel Greaves of Shelburne Falls, Arlene Croom of Williamsburg, Grace Bevis of Athol, Marion Cunningham of New Brunswick, Ct., and Janet Tower of Shelburne, Vt.



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## Items Of Interest

Palmer has announced a tax rate of \$26.70 per thousand a decrease from last year.

If all the autos in the United States were spread evenly along its 3,016,000 miles of roads there would be 8-17 machines to every mile.

Gasoline tax collections have increased so noticeably in New Hampshire that the Nashua Telegraph has suggested that the next session of the legislature might seriously consider reducing the tax.

Fourteen persons died as the result of motor mishaps in Massachusetts during the week of Aug. 21-28, which is six less than in the week before and 10 less than in the corresponding period last year.

In the fight against infantile paralysis in this state a total of 217 persons gave blood during the past summer out of 354 former victims of the disease who volunteered according to information given out by the State Board of Health.

The Connecticut valley regional planning commission will begin its tour of study and survey by making a trip about the various places of interest in the territory. It is hoped that they will not overlook Northfield. The trip of inspection began September 16th.

The substructure of the new bridge over the Connecticut river on the Irving-Gill road was started last week by the Simpson Brothers of Boston. The cost of the substructure erection will be \$102,262. The work will give a large number of men steady employment for some time to come.

Frank A. Goodwin, former registrar of motor vehicles of Massachusetts, has renewed the warfare he has waged for several years against automobile insurance companies by asserting that claims of \$9,000,000 loss to the companies writing compulsory automobile insurance was "pure bunkum."

Clarence H. DeMar of the Keene Normal School and who is known in Northfield having addressed a meeting here was among the entrants in a 19-mile road race at Ayer, Mass., recently under the auspices of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, who held a field day with the marathon as one of the chief events.

The Boston Federal Reserve district which includes all National Banks in New England subscribed for \$43,982,050 on the 15th offering of 3 per cent treasury bonds of 1951-55, and has been allotted \$39,375,050, according to the official announcement made today by Secretary Mellon of the Treasury Department.

Charles Anderson of Chesterfield, N. H., pleaded guilty to killing a deer out of season and was fined \$100 and costs. Anderson was arrested by Sheriff Frank J. Bennet after a search of the Anderson home in Chesterfield, while hunting for clues relative to the slaying of a heifer owned by M. V. Stancliffe of Hinsdale, N. H., in a pasture in Chesterfield.

For the first time in nearly two years the Registry of Motor Vehicles is able to report Monday that no child was killed in an automobile accident during the previous week. But 16 adults were killed during the week of September 4-11, according to the weekly report of Registrar Morgan T. Ryan, which is six less than were killed during the corresponding period a year ago.

Fifteen persons were killed by automobiles on the highways of this state last week, six less than in the week before and the same number as in the same period of 1930. Not a single one of the victims was a child; six were pedestrians, nine were occupants of automobiles, and one was a motorcycle rider; only one Western Massachusetts municipality appears on the death list—Brimfield, with one death.

President Hoover has called a four day conference on "home construction and ownership" to meet in Washington December 2nd. Expressing the belief adequate housing went to the very roots of well-being of the family and that the family was the social unit of the nation, the President said it should be possible for any person "of sound character and industrious habits to provide himself with adequate and suitable housing and preferably to own his own home."

Representative Ernest W. Gibson of Brattleboro, Vt., who was a White House caller last week emphasized during his conference with President Hoover on the unemployment and industrial depression situation that Vermont, Massachusetts and all New England are recovering better than other parts of the country and that New England is now setting a fine example of optimism for the United States.

"Of course there is still some suffering in New England," said the Vermont congressman, "but the worst is over and we are steadily improving."

## Stratford Ax Champ Of Franklin County

At the Franklin County Fair last week William J. Stratford of North Leverett was declared the champion wood chopper of the County. There were seven entries and six finished. He drove the ax through a 14-inch log in 1 minute and 17 seconds. Harry Stratford, North Leverett, was second, 1 minute 47 seconds; Ralph Pease Pelham, third, 2 minutes 8 seconds; Philip S. Porter, Goshen, fourth, 2 minutes 9 seconds; Horace Warfield, Charlemont, fifth, 2 minutes 12 seconds; Dorran Graves, North Leverett, sixth, 2 minutes, 14 seconds; Charles Ely, Pelham, did not finish. Where are the wood choppers of Northfield?

## Athol Girl Chosen "Miss Franklin County"

Miss Josephine Wynor, 18 years old, of 31 Metropolitan Court, Athol, was chosen "Miss Franklin County" at Brookside Park last Friday evening and was presented with a beautiful silver loving cup, lined with gold, that stands a foot high. Miss Wynor was dressed in black satin trimmed with white.

Miss Wynor is employed at the Elms Restaurant and is a popular Athol girl.

## Radio Health Messages

A series of helpful radio health talks are being sponsored by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health over WBZ every Thursday at 6.17 p. m. There are also a State House broadcast every Friday at 12.39 p. m., and the regular radio Health Forum which comes every Friday afternoon at 4.50 p. m. Queries on health and prevention of disease may be sent to the Radio Health Forum, State House, and they will be very gladly answered.

## WORTHWHILE PREACHMENTS

### Character Training

No school program is complete that ignores character training, which is a constant or invariable form in all systems of education.

Since the cultivation of moral habits, and hence character development itself, is intimately associated with the spiritual ideals of early childhood, it follows that the dominant spiritual teachers are the church and the home.

We cannot teach religion in the public schools. Such instruction is the province of the home, the church and religious teachers. The school disclaims any responsibility for religious instruction.

The work of the school in moral training is purely and unmistakably supplementary to that of the church and the home. No agencies, however, efficient, can take the places of these two institutions.

The mother of the household undoubtedly is the greatest of moral teachers; the church, without question, is the guardian and conservator of religious truth. The so-called changing social environment is no excuse for neglect of the paramount functions of the church and home.

The responsibility for the teaching of morality and religion, therefore, is primarily upon the home and the church. This is a sacred duty which may not be disregarded, and from which there is no escape.

This does not imply that the schools may not or should not insistently cooperate with the church and the home; nor does it mean that other contributory agencies should not exercise helpful influence in producing a citizen of sterling and sturdy character. Notably among such agencies are our home and school or teacher-parent associations.

These organizations comprise patrons of the school vitally interested in the welfare of their children and render invaluable service. They are, on the whole, sympathetic toward the school and at the same time constructive in criticism.

In the formation and execution of such a program as that of character education, parent-teacher associations may become a powerful auxiliary.

There are those who deplore the lack of more positive instruction in morals in the public schools. This group maintains the inseparability of moral and religious instruction. Granting the force of this contention, it must be positively reaffirmed that no religious instruction whatsoever may be given in schools maintained by the state and supported by public taxation.

The teaching of religion has been disallowed. Character education in the public schools must be carried on by those means which seem to be most practicable under all the circumstances, namely, by accepting those standards of moral conduct that have come down to us through succeeding generations and form the bases of our current culture.

In accordance with the principles herein enumerated, character education has been assigned a position of prominence in the public schools of Boston and forms an essential part of the daily school program.

Jeremiah E. Burke, superintendent of Boston public schools, in a radio talk from station WNAC on "Character Education."

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To Casimir Pulaski

President Hoover has issued a proclamation that the anniversary of the Revolutionary Hero's death be observed on Sunday October 11th and that the American flag be displayed upon all government buildings.

Count Casimir Pulaski, brave officer and brilliant cavalryman, exiled by reason of his patriotic efforts in defense of the liberties of his native land, offered his sword to the United States in 1777, was commissioned Brigadier General in the Continental Army in recognition of his conduct at the Battle of Brandywine, raised in 1778, a volunteer legion of horse and foot which he commanded with distinction, took a notable part in the Southern campaign of the ensuing year, was mortally wounded at the assault of Savannah on Oct. 9 and died of his wounds on Oct. 11, 1778.

Public exercises are suggested in church or assembly and it is hoped that Northfield with so many citizens of Polish descent will not forget the day.

State Spending To  
Jump \$15,000,000

The state expenditures for 1932 may be \$415,000,000, an increase of \$15,000,000 over this year, Henry F. Long, state commissioner of corporations and taxation, told the Essex County Boards of Trade at their annual outing at Amesbury recently. Commissioner Long said that in the past fifteen years the cost of local and state government has increased 122 per cent, and apparently would continue to increase unless the people of the state were willing to be content with curtailment of school building, road building and police and fire protection.

The commissioner said that the increase would have to be met through some form of a commodity tax similar to the gasoline tax, which could be collected at a minimum of expense to the state. Homes, incomes, gasoline and other forms of tangible property were taxed to capacity, he said, and to impose additional burden upon them would be to discourage industry from entering Massachusetts. He predicted the commodity tax probably would be placed on soft drinks, tobacco, cosmetics and amusements.

Vermont Has A  
Development Plan

Our readers will be glad to learn that the state of Vermont is the first New England State to have a program for the development of its small towns and rural districts. The plan was made known last week at a meeting of the New England Council by a Vermont member of the council.

The Vermont program has three main features.

First—Abandonment of all attempts at agriculture on the poorer mountain farms which cannot afford a decent family livelihood under modern conditions.

Second—Transformation of the mountain districts with superior natural attractions into recreational resorts, summer homes, and camps for boys and girls.

Third—Subscription of specialized commercial agriculture, with money crops such as market milk, apples, potatoes and maple sugar, for the traditional general farming.

These recommendations epitomize the results of a three-year study of Vermont's problems by a commission of 200 prominent citizens.

Vermont's initiative in working out a long range plan for its own progress should prove a marked stimulus to the other New England states.

## Valley Weather Report

Weather in the Connecticut Valley during August added another chapter to the wet summer of 1931, with a total rainfall of 67 inches, against a normal rainfall of 42.4 inches, according to reports from the office of G. I. Gannes, meteorologist at Massachusetts State College. The total precipitation for the period from January 1 to August 31, was 34.24 inches. The normal amount for this period is 29.46 inches.

More than half of the August rainfall occurred on the 28th and 29th, when dashing rains added 3.51 inches to the month's figure. A rain fell during 1-3 of the 31 days, and Old Man Sun was hard put to make his appearance for 192.7 hours. The normal sunshine for August is 236 hours.

In spite of the cloudy weather the average temperature was 69.6 degrees as compared to the normal average of 68.4 degrees. Residents experienced both extremes, with the mercury hitting 96 on the seventh and dropping to the depths of 46 on the 22nd.

Thunder storms, conspicuous by their absence during most of the summer, boomed over the Valley on August 3, 19, 26, 27, and 28. Some damage from lightning was reported during the latter part of the month. The wind was slightly less than normal during August with the prevailing direction west by northwest.

## Active Grangers

The new master of the Rhode Island State Grange, Arthur A. Sherman, has been a prominent member of both branches of the state legislature; the same is true of the present master of the New Hampshire State Grange, John A. Hammond, who in addition has been a member of the governor's council, while Mrs. Hammond is this year elected to the Granite State legislature. State Master Harry B. Crawford has been prominent in the Maine legislature; and James C. Farmer of New Hampshire, present lecturer of the National Grange is now a member of the state senate in New Hampshire.

Mrs. Whitney Heads  
New England Women

Mrs. Edward H. Whitney of Co-wesett, Warwick, R. I., was unanimously elected chairman of the New England conference of State Federations of Women's Clubs, in their 22d annual meeting at Rangleley Maine. More than 20 delegates were present.

Other officers elected were: Mrs. George H. Stoughton of Hartford, Conn., vice chairman; Mrs. George Morris of Lancaster, N. H. secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. George Hendrick of Nashua, N. H., publicity chairman.

A tribute was expressed to Mrs. Grace Morrison Poole, candidate for president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs. She is now first vice president of the national organization.

Gov. William Tudor Gardiner of Maine welcomed the delegates to the state.

## About Hetty Green

Miss Carrie Clark of Winona, Ind., was very much interested to read the article on Hetty Green in our recent issue and she adds an interesting bit. She says:—

"I was much interested in your article about Hetty Green and am sending this which may interest you.

At one time I boarded with friends in Howland Roxbury street. Several of the houses were owned by Hetty Green and at times when she was busy renovating the houses she also boarded with my friend. Once she was asked by one of the ladies of the church to give them a donation. Her reply was that she never gave small amounts in that way.

"Then if you only give rather large amounts why don't you give the rent of this house to Mrs. F. --- (my friend) for a year."

Nothing more was said but Mrs. F. found that her checks for rent did not come back. Finally she went to the agent to see about it and he told her not to worry that it was all right. Mrs. Green had taken this way to give the rent for a year.

Mrs. Green said she could dress up as well as any one, but she did not like to stay dressed up more than three days at a time. The photographers were bothering her to allow them to take her picture so she told them to come on a certain day and they might. She was a very fine looking woman when dressed. Her complexion pink and white, and she was stately, and most interesting when she talked of the important people she had known. But when she talked of money she was a different person.

Once she said—"I can make money all right just as Russell Sage did, but I do not know how to use it any better than he. I am hoping though that some one may get it who can spend it as wisely as Mrs. Sage does.

I have heard that her son has supported a great many war orphans."

Special Session Likely  
Of State Legislature

It is reported that Governor Joseph B. Ely would soon call a special legislative session to consider motor insurance problems. He also said he would ask Insurance Commissioner Merton L. Brown to delay promulgating the 1932 automobile insurance rates, scheduled for the 5th, until the Legislature has had time to act.

## A Good Editorial

## What Makes A Newspaper

A mistaken idea with some people is that the newspaper is an individual proposition. If they don't like the editor, they feel they must knock the paper and stand in the way of its success whenever possible. They do not realize that the local paper is just as much a part of the community as the schools, churches or anything else. The newspaper is different from any other business, it is a community affair. It is for service to the people and not for any individual.

You may not like the editor and the editor may not love you any too well—but the paper he is responsible for does just as much for you as the service rendered others. There is nothing personal with it, it is here for a purpose and that purpose is to do what good it can in every way it can and the greater the support of those it undertakes to serve the better service it can render. It takes the people to make a good newspaper and without the help of the people no one can run a successful newspaper. It requires money to operate any kind of business—even the churches and the papers are no exception and for this reason they must have the financial support of the business interest as well as the good will.

Few newspaper publishers make more than a comfortable living and scarcely one is reported wealthy from money made in the newspaper business. They deserve to be trusted and to be understood by the people—it is the editor and not the plant that makes a newspaper useful in a community, though a liberal patronage is necessary if the paper is to be a credit to the town.—Greenfield Recorder September 11th.

## Cost Of Living Declines

Last June living costs were 6.5 per cent lower than in December, and 9.8 per cent below June of the previous year. Food prices dropped nearly 14 per cent in the half-year that ended in June and smaller decreases occurred in the cost of rent, home furnishings, fuel, light and other items.

From the peak of prices in June, 1920, to June 1931, the cost of living went down 30.6 per cent. Thus, if the wage-earner today is earning the salary he received in 1920, his income is almost one-third greater.

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with Edward G. Robinson as the star.Mr. Robinson is seen in "Five Star  
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tor of a tabloid scandal sheet—which  
thrives on the strength of its slogan:  
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like it.""Five Star Final" deals especially  
with the ways in which the unscrupu-  
lous staff of the "Gazette" ruins the  
reputation of the Townsends. Michael  
Townsends had married Nancy Voq-  
hees twenty years before, fully aware  
of the fact that in self defense she  
had killed a man. Their daughter  
Jenny has never known the dark se-  
cret and is about to marry Phillip  
Weeks, son of a well-to-do family.  
The news breaks in the "Gazette" just  
before the wedding. The moth-  
er commits suicide—and a chain of  
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Frances Starr.Louis Weitzenkorn well-known  
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acter remains—and through the influ-  
ence of an understanding love their  
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artists of reputation on the stage.The picture opens with a Panama  
setting. March, shabby and unshav-  
en, portrays, "Dick Grady." He re-  
sents being called a beggar by former  
acquaintance whom he asks for mon-  
ey. He meets "Carlotta" portrayed  
by Bankhead and interest develops,  
and is graphically portrayed and vi-  
vidly dramatized. A man is murdered  
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The position of the market letter writer—always precarious—is anything but enviable under conditions as they exist today. The suspension of the gold basis for the pound sterling is an influence so powerful in so many different directions as to defy adequate estimate at this time as to its probable effect for good or evil on the broad general problem of world depression. And, at this writing the problem is made more complex through the closing of most of the world's stock exchanges and the restrictions placed upon trading in those that remain open. Our own market unquestionably took the blow very well, but what would have been the reaction, if the short-seller had not been put under restraint, is something we are not to know. Mr. Morgan calls it a constructive step, other bankers follow his line of reasoning and, with the exchanges muzzled, we have no choice but to accept their statements. Unquestionably the news is out and it is normally better marketwise to know the worst than to have something hanging over the market.

And even as the news is out internationally, so it is with reference to domestic industry and trade. Hopes held in some places—but not here—for a more-than-seasonal improvement in Fall business have definitely been abandoned and we shall be well-satisfied if things get no worse from now to the turn of the year. The Business Week index lost in the last week reporting all that it had gained in the previous 14 days and is back at the depression low of 71 per cent of the normal. The bond market is still declining and this is one of the most favorable aspects of the situation here. Commodities have been holding for three months and it is possible that the English development—an inflationary influence—may bring still further improvement in this quarter.

Our investment counsel at this time can be briefly given. Hold desirable stocks and buy for cash secure in the knowledge that the current downswing has run more than the average amount. The speculative buyer would normally be coming in here, but the international confusion suggests caution. Remember that no one will know when the bear market ended until six months afterwards. Act with full realization that, while there is no way of telling and discouragement is rife, there is a good chance that this is the bottom of the well.

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## President Hoover To Veterans

President Hoover, on Monday, at Detroit, called upon the American Legion to enlist in a peace time fight for government economy designed to lead the world out of the slough of depression. Solemnly warning the convention of the Legionnaires against the grave risks "of increasing federal expenditures either through further veterans' or other legislation," the president likened the world economic crisis "second only to war" and expressed the confidence that "by united action we will lead the action in recovery."

The president pointed out the treasury was faced with another large deficit, that income taxes had declined 50 per cent since the period of prosperity and that the nation was carrying at the same time a "high and necessary extra burden" of public works in aid of the unemployed and agriculture and of increased benefits to veterans. He said he was directing the most drastic economy in every "non-vital branch" of the government, yet the essential services must be maintained, including provision for disabled soldiers, agriculture and the unemployed. He warned that taxing only the rich would not wipe out the federal deficit.

"We must face the absolute fact," he said, "that the rich can be taxed to the point of diminishing returns and still the deficit in our ordinary and necessary expenditures would not be covered even upon a basis of the utmost economy. Make no mistake in these circumstances it is those who work in the field, at the bench and desks who would be forced to carry an added burden for every cent of our expenditures."

"Such action," he said, "can easily defeat our hope, our plan and our best efforts for the recovery of our country and so indefinitely delay the return of prosperity and employment. We can carry our present expenditures without jeopardy to national stability. We can carry no more without grave risks."

Mr. Hoover accepted with the "banks of the nation" the Legion's offer to co-operate in relief this winter but said there was need of an even greater service "that is, the determined opposition by you to additional demands upon the nation until we have won this war against world depression."

## Lightning Kills Cattle At The Farms

Five Jersey heifers belonging to the herds of Philip Mann, Fred Wells, and Peter Ladzinski at Northfield Farms, were killed by lightning a week ago Monday night when the severe storm broke over Northfield. The loss was not discovered until some days later.

## Dartmouth's Large Class

Dartmouth College has the largest class in its history. It numbers 2261 students and of this number 466 are seniors, 502 are juniors, 596 are sophomores and 697 are freshmen. In 1930 there were 2184 students enrolled.

## TRINITARIAN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

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8.00 p. m.—Evening Worship

### Thursday

7.30 p. m.—Mid-week Service.

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## Mt. Hermon Items

### ATHLETIC COUNCIL MEETS

At the first meeting of the Athletic Council of Mount Hermon School in Camp Hall on Wednesday September 23, many interesting topics were brought up from the floor and were discussed.

This council is one which stands up for the rights of the student body, and it has much to do with regulating rules and regulations in the athletic life at Mount Hermon.

The most important of the many questions that were brought up was the question of changing all the letters of all the sports into major letters. This was put to a vote by the student body and was carried by a large majority. This means that now all the sports will probably be run on the same basis; where soccer was considered a minor sport, it will be recognized as a major sport, and a large Hermon "H" will be awarded to the student who makes the varsity team.

The men who compose this council are elected by the student body at the beginning of each term. The men who hold office are as follows:  
W. W. Fry of Washington State, President; Tabor Polhemus of Northfield, Mass., Vice President; W. A. Fry of Pennsylvania, Recording Secretary; Carl Hedman of Caldwell, N. J., Chaplain; Axel B. Fomund of Mount Hermon, Mass., Coach; Arthur Platt of Mount Hermon, Mass., Faculty Advisor; Joseph Maurovich of Caracas, Venezuela, S. A., and N. W. Page of Boston, Mass., Marshalls.

HONOR STUDENTS AT  
MOUNT HERMON  
Dr. H. F. Cutler, principal of Mt. Hermon School announced in chapel the names of those students now in school who won scholarship honors last term. In percentage, the senior class led the list with 10 per cent; the sophomores second with 7 per cent; the juniors third with 5 per cent; the freshmen next with almost 5 per cent, and the unclassified with 2 per cent.

Honor students who are seniors now in school follow:

Petter Farevaag, Oslo, Norway, Joseph P. Gomez, Havana, Cuba.

### Juniors

Joseph G. Antanowitz, New York City; Adrian Balstra, New York City; J. Stuart Blackie, New York City; William J. Flanagan, New York City; John W. Greiner, Philadelphia; Richard D. L. Higgins, Orleans, Mass.; Tom Kay, Fitchburg, Mass.; Archibald Stark, Mount Hermon, Mass.

### Sophomores

Marden D. Ambrose, Bridgeport, Conn.; Benjamin A. Chase, Portsmouth, R. I.; Ernest M. Essex, W. Barrington, R. I.; John E. Harris, Jr., So. Dartmouth, Mass.; Kenneth W. Macayden, Worcester, Mass.; William J. McQuillan, Scotland; S. Douglas Polhemus, East Northfield, Mass.

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The Misses Olson, Palmer, Estey and Thoun are living at Miss Birks' house this year.

Rev. Evans of South Vernon supplied the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Mrs. Sarah Smith has gone to Brandon, Vt., where she is visiting her niece, Miss Flora White.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Durnell are in Middletown, Conn., this week with their daughter and family.

Mrs. Eunice Slate has returned to her home in Orange after spending a week with Miss Lelia Cory.

The Senior club which was to have met with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Minott Thursday has been postponed until Oct. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Eldred of Readboro, Vt., have been visiting Mrs. Eldred's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen.

There will be a meeting of the W. C. T. U., at 2.30 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the vestry of Goodale Memorial church.

Holman Whitaker is enjoying a week's vacation from his duties at Wyatt's store. Wallace Whitaker is substituting for him.

The first number on the Cushman free lecture course will be Friday night, Sept. 25, and will be given by the Davis Company, "Magician."

Mrs. Alice Carson in company with Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Scott and Bertram R. Lewis of Whately have been spending a week at Bomoseen Lake, Vt.

Miss Maud Linker of the Northampton high school faculty and her sister, Mrs. Hawks of New York City, have been guests of Miss Ethel Parsons.

Miss Winifred Fach left Monday for Massachusetts college in Amherst. Miss Marion Taylor of the Greenfield road has also returned to the same college.

Miss Marion Weissman and Robert Weissman have returned to Springfield to attend school after spending the summer vacation with their grandmother, Mrs. Laura Flagg.

Russell Hubbard has returned to teaching in Yonkers, N. Y., after spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Sheldon Clapp. His mother, Mrs. Blanche Hubbard, returned with him.

Schools will open Monday. Mrs. Laura Wright will teach in the Lampblack district; Miss Ruth Whitaker goes to Gill; Miss Grace Blodgett to West Northfield; and Miss Ethel Parsons to Northampton.

Miss Liza Hale, who has been spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Nellie Hale, has taken a position at Buxton Country Day school, Short Hills, N. J. Miss Hale has had a similar position in Chicago, Ill., where she has taught for the past 11 years.

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